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Jude Del Preore, Trial Court Administrator, Elected President of Multi-State Court Excellence Group

Trenton, N.J....Jude Del Preore of Moorestown, N.J., trial court administrator (TCA) for the Mercer Vicinage of the New Jersey Judiciary, was elected president of the Mid-Atlantic Association for Court Management (MAACM) at the organization's 10th annual meeting this month.

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Jude Del Preore

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With 500 members, MAACM is a diverse, regional association of professionals dedicated to excellence in court administration in the District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Virginia.

"I am greatly honored to be elected president of MAACM," Del Preore told his colleagues during the annual meeting in Cherry Hill. "I want to thank you for your continued support of our great organization and for (your) trust and confidence...It is truly an honor to serve you, our colleagues, in the nation's premier regional association for court management."

As Mercer's TCA, Del Preore is responsible for 370 staff and the management of the civil, criminal, family, general operations, human resources, information technology, municipal, probation and finance divisions. He reports to the Mercer Vicinage Assignment Judge Linda R. Feinberg.

Del Preore graduated with high honors from Rutgers University where he was inducted into Phi Beta Kappa and received a master's degree in public administration from Kean University. His career in New Jersey courts began in 1974 in the Essex Vicinage (Newark) where he served in the family and probation divisions. In 1988, he served as deputy court administrator for Essex Superior Court and was named vicinage chief probation officer in Morristown, N.J., in 1989. He assumed the TCA position in the Mercer Vicinage in Trenton, N.J., in 1997.

Del Preore has served on numerous committees, planning groups and advisory boards. He is a certified trainer and served on the adjunct faculty of Seton Hall Law School, two county colleges, the New Jersey State Police Academy, several county police academies and the New Jersey Judiciary's Training and Organizational Development Unit.

MAACM is committed to continuously improving court management and services to the public through visionary leadership. It provides a variety of accessible, high quality, professional development programs. The association promotes collaboration among court professionals to promote best practices, networking, and information sharing within the justice community.

The member-driven professional organization is nationally recognized as a leading regional resource for creative and challenging approaches to educating and developing court leaders. As president, Del Preore will preside at meetings, manage association business, appoint committees and see that all orders and resolutions are carried out.